





## STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Jeffrey E. Stahmann et al.

Title: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR PACING MODE SWITCHING DURING ATRIAL

**TACHYARRHYTHMIAS** 

Docket No.: 279.315US1 Filed: December 26, 2000

Examiner: Meredith H. Schoenfeld

Serial No.: 09/748,796 Group Art Unit: 3753

لأتراك والمصدر الرجعة الألام

Commissioner for Patents Attn: BOX ISSUE FEE Washington, D.C. 20231

We are transmitting herewith the attached:

A copy of the Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due cover sheet (1 pg.)

A check in the amount of \$300.00 to cover the Publication Fee Payment.

A return postcard.

PLEASE NOTE AN RCE IS BEING FILED UNDER SEPARATE COVER.

SCHWEGMAN, LUNDBERG, WOESSNER & KLUTH, P.A. P.O. Box 2938, Minneapolis, MN 55402 (612-373-6900)

Reg. No. 39,610

TEB:CMG:pms

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.8: The undersigned hereby certifies that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Attn - BOX ISSUE FER, Washington, D.C. 20231, on this 20 day of December, 2002.

Name

01/07/2003 IMBUYEN2 00000140 09748796

01 FC:1504







AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

TO STATISTICS OF CONTRACTOR COCER OF PATIENTS AND TRADEDVARES

## NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE AND FEE(S) DUE

7590

09/30/2002

SCHWEGMAN, LUNDBERG, WOESSNER & KLUTH, P.A. P.O. Box 2938 Minneapolis, MN 55402

**FOXAMINIPE** RIVELL, JOHN A ART UNIT CLASS-SUBCLASS 3753

607-015000

DATE MAILED: 09/30/2002

APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	CONFIRMATION NO.
09/748,796	12/26/2000	Jeffrey B. Stahmann	279.315US1	3317

TITLE OF INVENTION: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR PACING MODE SWITCHING DURING ATRIAL TACHYARRHYTHMIAS

D. V Dec. 30,2000

APPLN. TYPB	SMALL ENTITY	. ISSUE FEE	PUBLICATION FEE	TOTAL FEE(S) DUE	DATE DUE
nonprovisional	NO	\$1280	\$300	\$1580	12/30/2002

THE APPLICATION IDENTIFIED ABOVE HAS BEEN EXAMINED AND IS ALLOWED FOR ISSUANCE AS A PATENT. PROSECUTION ON THE MERITS IS CLOSED. THIS NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE IS NOT A GRANT OF PATENT RIGHTS. THIS APPLICATION IS SUBJECT TO WITHDRAWAL FROM ISSUE AT THE INITIATIVE OF THE OFFICE OR UPON PETITION BY THE APPLICANT. SEE 37 CFR 1.313 AND MPEP 1308.

THE ISSUE FEE AND PUBLICATION FEE (IF REQUIRED) MUST BE PAID WITHIN THREE MONTHS FROM THE MAILING DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR THIS APPLICATION SHALL BE REGARDED AS ABANDONED. THIS STATUTORY PERIOD CANNOT BE EXTENDED. SEE 35 U.S.C. 151. THE ISSUE FEE DUE INDICATED ABOVE REFLECTS A CREDIT FOR ANY PREVIOUSLY PAID ISSUE FEE APPLIED IN THIS APPLICATION. THE PTOL-85B (OR AN EQUIVALENT) MUST BE RETURNED WITHIN THIS PERIOD EVEN IF NO FEE IS DUE OR THE APPLICATION WILL BE REGARDED AS ABANDONED.

## HOW TO REPLY TO THIS NOTICE:

I. Review the SMALL ENTITY status shown above.

If the SMALL ENTITY is shown as YES, verify your current SMALL ENTITY status:

A. If the status is the same, pay the TOTAL FEE(S) DUE shown

B. If the status is changed, pay the PUBLICATION FEE (if required) and twice the amount of the ISSUE FEE shown above and notify the United States Patent and Trademark Office of the change in status, or

If the SMALL ENTITY is shown as NO:

A. Pay TOTAL FEE(S) DUE shown above, or

B. If applicant claimed SMALL ENTITY status before, or is now claiming SMALL ENTITY status, check the box below and enclose the PUBLICATION FEE and 1/2 the ISSUE FEE shown above.

☐ Applicant claims SMALL ENTITY status. Sec 37 CFR 1.27.

II. PART B - FEE(S) TRANSMITTAL should be completed and returned to the United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) with your ISSUE FEE and PUBLICATION FEE (if required). Even if the fee(s) have already been paid, Part B - Fee(s) Transmittal should be completed and returned. If you are charging the fee(s) to your deposit account, section "4b" of Part B - Fee(s) Transmittal should be completed and an extra copy of the form should be submitted.

III. All communications regarding this application must give the application number. Please direct all communications prior to issuance to Box ISSUE FEE unless advised to the contrary.

IMPORTANT REMINDER: Utility patents issuing on applications filed on or after Dec. 12, 1980 may require payment of maintenance fees. It is patentee's responsibility to ensure timely payment of maintenance fees when du

OCT 0 4 2002

PORTFOLIO I.P.

Page 1 of 4

PTOL-85 (REV. 04-02) Approved for use through 01/31/2004.